



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re PATENT APPLICATION of

MONTGOMERY

Appln. No.: 09/823,278 Group Art Unit: Not Assigned

Filed: March 29, 2001 Examiner: Unknown

Title: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR STREAMING DATA USING ROTATING

July 11, 2001

PETITION UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.53(e)

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Hon. Commissioner of Patents Washington, D.C. 20231 Attn: Office of Petitions

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Sir:

Attorney for Applicant hereby petitions the Commissioner to accept the filing of the above-identified application, and deem the filing complete under 37 C.F.R. 1.53(b) upon receipt of the documents in response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application (mailed May 11, 2001), filed herewith, and grant the filing date of March 29, 2001.

In the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Patent Application, the Initial Patent Examination Division contends that page 27 of the Specification in the above-identified patent application *appears* to have been omitted from the application.

Attorney for Applicant asserts that page 27 of the Specification was, in fact, provided on March 29, 2001, at the time of filing the above-identified patent application according to the enclosed Declaration of Jeanette Cooks, Patent Assistant to Attorney for Applicant.

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Petition Under 37 CFR 1.153(e) MONTGOMERY 09/823,278 60232444v1 Based on the foregoing, it is respectfully submitted that all pages to the above-identified Specification were provided on March 29, 2001, and it is, therefore, urged that the present Petition should be granted. Page 27 of the Specification is attached to this Petition.

The Petition Fee of \$130 provided for by 37 C.F.R. §1.17(i) is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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- A method according to claim 31 wherein each of the portions contains a plurality 38. of packets, and each of the packets contains a non-encrypted header identifying which decryption key to use to decrypt that packet.
- A method according to claim 38 further including a marker that immediately 39. precedes the decryption key and each another decryption key to allow identification of each another decryption key within the portion and subsequent portions, respectively.
- A method according to claim 39 wherein the each marker and the corresponding decryption key or another decryption key is encrypted in the same manner as the portion in which it is contained.
- A method according to claim 26 wherein the another decryption key is encrypted 41. with the encryption key.
- A method according to claim 26 further including a marker that immediately 42. precedes the another decryption key to allow identification of the another decryption key within the portion.
- A method according to claim 42 wherein the marker and the another decryption 43. key is encrypted with the encryption key.



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DECLARATION OF JEANETTE COOKS

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Sir:

- I, Jeanette Cooks, hereby declare that:
- 1. I am a Patent Assistant for Pillsbury Winthrop LLP.
- 2. I am the support staff for David A. Jakopin, Attorney for the Applicant.
- 3. I was asked by Mr. Jakopin to prepare the above-identified patent application for filing on March 29, 2001.
- 4. On March 29, 2001, all pages of the specification (pages 1-50) were filed with the United States Patent and Trademark Office and copies were made for the file and the client.

- 5. When we received the Notice to File Missing Parts, I examined the copy of the application that was filed in the USPTO on March 29, 2001, and that was placed in the Applicant's file. My examination revealed that page 27 was not missing from the copy.

 Therefore, the original application that was filed included page 27.
- 6. Enclosed as Exhibit A is a copy of the Patent Office stamped Return Receipt Postcard for the above-cited patent application.
- 7. Enclosed as Exhibit B is a copy of page 27 from Applicant's file showing that said page was copied and two-hole punched for filing in Applicant's file.

Further declarant sayest not.

Respectfully submitted,

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Specification including title page, claims and abstract (51 pages);

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